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JNO. BELLAMY

REGINA LETTER.

RESULTS IN THE RACE MEETING AT THE CAPITAL.

Allen, the Toronto Sprinter, Does up the Regina man—Another Lecture by Miss Phelps—Western Cyclists Scoop in the Good Prizes.

REGINA, July 17.—Notwithstanding liberal purse and favorable weather the attendance at the Regina Turf Club meeting on the 12th, 13th and 14th was not nearly as large as last year, nor were the races on the whole as well contested. In most cases the winners were not hard pushed. The following is a summary:

	FIRST DAY.
Hotel stakes, \$300; 3-minute class.	
Ellis Medium.....	1 1 1
Great Ned.....	2 2 2
Predmore.....	3 3
Time, 2:39 1/2, 2:32, 2:37 1/2	
Pony race, half mile, Purse \$100.	
First.....	1 1
Snake.....	2 2
The Tyke.....	3 3
Time, 58, 57	
Half mile open running, 2 in 3, Purse \$200.	
Albert Victor.....	1 2
Twilight.....	2 2
Bangs.....	5 3
Columbia.....	2 4
Miss Tax.....	4 5
Time, 50 1/2, 51	
One quarter mile foot race, purse \$20. This was won by J. A. Williamson. He was hard pushed by J. D. Allen. Time, 53.	
Novice-bicycle race, one mile—1st, gold medal; 2nd, silver cup. Wm. Crawford, of Medicine Hat, took first without being much pushed. A. E. Smith was second; J. A. Betourney, third; Ferguson, fourth.	
One quarter mile bicycle race, in heats—J. H. Wrigley took first, but was hard pushed by J. C. Pope.	
Wrigley, Lethbridge.....	1 1
Pope, Regina.....	2 2
Crawford, Medicine Hat.....	2 3
Betourney, Regina.....	3 4
Peters, Regina.....	4 5
Davison, Qu'Appelle.....	0 6
Ferguson, Regina.....	0 7
Time, 34 2-5 and 38	
SECOND DAY.	
250 class, trot or pace.	
Confederate Queen.....	1 1 1
Walter E.....	3 2
Robert G.....	2 3 3
Time, 1:24, 2:39 1/2, 2:39	
Pony race, fourteen and a half hands, half mile heats, \$150.	
Sis.....	1 1
Tootsie.....	2 2
Little Ned.....	3 3
Time, 1:24, 1:22	
Breeder's stakes, \$300, 2-year-old, trot or pace.	
May J.....	1 1
Wenona.....	2 2
Leonard Wilkins.....	3 3
Time, 1:24, 1:22	
Mile open bicycle race, first prize diamond pin, second prize gold locket. The wheelmen were handicapped with a heavy track. Wrigley, of Lethbridge, was first; Crawford, of Medicine Hat, second; A. F. Smith, third; J. C. Pope, fourth. Time, 2:47.	
Half mile bicycle race, first prize cup, second prize silver water pitcher. Crawford won by about 6 inches. Pope, second; Wrigley third; A. F. Smith fourth; Betourney fifth; Ferguson sixth. Time, 2:31.	
THIRD DAY.	
Named race, trot or pace, purse \$150, heats three in five. Ellis Medium was barred, the other enterers refusing to trot against him. Starmont made a good race, stepping into the 2:30 list, making the mile in 2:28.	
Starmont.....	1 1 1
No Hurry.....	2 2 2
Echoe.....	4 3 2
Beckwood.....	3 4 4
Time, 2:28 1/2, 2:28, and 2:20	
The three-year-old trot or pace, purse \$150, mile heats, 3 in 5;	
Belle W.....	1 1 2 1
Ramona.....	2 2 3 2
Joe Herd.....	3 3 1 3
Time, 2:28, 2:26, and 2:24	
The Waucons stakes, \$400, three-quarters mile dash, running, was the third event on the card. This was the race of the day. Three horses—Columbia, Twilight and Albert Victor, could have been almost covered with ore blanket as they passed under the wire. Columbia winning by a nose. This win was the most popular one of the meet, cheer after cheer greeting the performance. The owner, Mr. H. G. Lawson, president of the Turf company, was paraded before the grand stand upon the shoulders of the enthusiastic spectators.	

A FOOT RACE.

Great interest centered in the next event, a three hundred yards' race between J. D. Allen, of Brandon, and J. A. Williamson, of Regina. The latter had a high local reputation for speed, and Allen had already shown a good pair of heels, consequently there was heavy betting and a large amount of money changed hands. Williamson had the advantage in the start but was overtaken by Allen half way, then for about fifty yards they ran shoulder to shoulder, but gradually Allen forged ahead and won by twenty feet in 32 seconds, remarkable fast time considering the heavy track. While here Allen made a host of friends.

TEAM CYCLE RACE.

Team bicycle race, two miles, for three gold medals. Four teams were entered, but only two, captained by A. F. Smith and C. Peters respectively, started. The results were as follows: 1st, A. F. Smith, captain, 6; R. B. Ferguson, 4; W. Mollard, 1; total, 11 points. 2nd, C. Peters, captain, 5; J. Short, 2; E. J. Young, 3; total, 10 points. Time, 6:14.

During the race week the hotels did aousing business. The Palmer, which during the past nine months, under the able management of Mr. William McIvor, an old and experienced hotel manager, has assumed a foremost place among the dollar-a-day houses in the Territories, was taxed to its utmost capacity.

The local Orangemen, Regina I.O.L. No. 1608 and the members of the Young Men's Protestant Benevolent Association, celebrated the "twelfth" by a procession in the morning, and in the afternoon united with the McLean, Balgoma and Davis lodges in a picnic at Pilot Butte.

Mr. Kata Hayes, librarian of the North-West Government Library, is taking some well earned holidays.

Friday, July 20, has been proclaimed a civic holiday for the town. The Presbyterian, Baptist and Police barracks Sunday Schools and the Industrial school have arranged to hold a joint picnic at Carm's grove in the Qu'Appelle Valley.

Some twenty teachers and university graduates are here, assisting the Department of Education in the examination of papers for teachers' certificates. I have had a chat with Mr. Goggin, Superintendent of Education, in reference to the age limit in examinations for teachers' certificates. He very kindly took the trouble to enter fully into the whole subject, advertising to the systems in vogue in England and in the United States, and giving experiences and results in Manitoba and other provinces with and without the age limit.

The reasons he gave in favor of the former convince me that the present regulation, fixing the minimum age of pupils to be examined for teachers' certificates at 16 and 18 years for girls and boys respectively, is in the best interest of the pupils. I shall take an early opportunity of giving your readers the benefit of these reasons.

Col. Herchmer, Commissioner N.W. M.P., and family leave for Calgary and Banff to-night.

Mayor Martin has returned from the east.

Lieutenant-Governor Mackintosh is rapidly improving under Dr. Brett's treatment at the Sanitarium, Banff. His Honor was expected to be able to open Calgary exhibition to-day.

Miss Kirkpatrick, daughter of the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, is a guest at Government House here.

Mrs. Walter Scott, left for her new home in Moose Jaw yesterday morning. She was accompanied to the station by a large number of friends who will sadly miss her genial and pleasant face.

Your correspondent had the great pleasure to-day of meeting an old friend, Mr. J. Macdonald Oxley, who though a young man has already acquired a wide celebrity in literary work. He stopped over here to-day and to-morrow morning continues his tour to Banff and the Pacific coast. Mr. Oxley has written several books for boys which are deservedly popular, and has purposed utilising his experience on his present trip in a book of travel for boys. He is accompanied by his son, a bright intelligent lad nine years of age.

If Dr. Johnson had had the good fortune of listening to such an address as that delivered by Miss Lilian M. Phelps, of White Ribbon fame, in the Methodist church last Sunday evening, he, misanthropic as he was, would have modified the simile in his famous criticism of women in which he says, "A woman's preaching is like a dog walking on its hind legs." It is not done well, but you are surprised to find it done at all." Miss Phelps' treatment of the subject of the Progressives, quite recognizable.—Starvel Exposition.

of the Temperance movement throughout the World, was most exhaustive and masterly. Her eloquence was truly stirring and impressive; and the knowledge displayed of the science of government and politics was not by any means superficial—in fact could not be surpassed by the greatest number of the leading male lecturers on social, political, scientific and moral questions.

CAPITAL.

TWENTY MILLS.

IS THE RATE STRUCK FOR 1895 TAXATION.

Monday Night's Council Proceedings—Estimated Receipts and Expenditures for 1895—Communications, &c.

There were present at the regular meeting of the town council on Monday evening, Mayor Gass, Coun. Hitchcock, Richards, Stunt, Simington, and Fletcher.

A communication was received from W. A. Porter respecting the health of the town. The School Board estimates were laid on the table. Numerous accounts were presented and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Water and Light Committee certified to the correctness of an account of R. Snowdon.

The appointment of Inspector Langford as poll tax collector was confirmed.

Coun. Stunt gave notice of the introduction of a fire by-law.

In Committee the following table of estimates for 1895 was adopted:

Inspector.	\$ 426 00
Clerk.	100 00
Surveyor.	75 00
Assessor.	60 00
Collector.	70 00
Board of Works.	450 00
Fire, Water and Light.	600 00
Relief.	100 00
Market and Streets.	100 00
Licenses and Police.	50 00
Finance, for printing.	150 00
Staking fund and interest on debts.	1353 33
School Board.	3400 00
Incidentals.	2 26
Total.	7040 59
ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.	
Licenses, hotels.	\$ 700 00
Poll Tax.	100 00
Draymen.	24 00
Boarding house.	32 00
Water carts.	20 00
Livery and feed stables.	30 00
Billiard tables.	30 00
Dogs.	75 00
Town hall rent, &c.	500 00
Total.	1556 00
Leaving \$3484 59 to be met by taxation.	

A rate of twenty mills was struck, being 12½ mills for school and 7½ for municipal purposes.

A petition was received from High street residents respecting the occupants of the old post office building; it was referred to the constable, with instructions to act upon the advice of the solicitor.

The constable was further instructed to obtain a list of unpaid draymen, livery, boarding, house and billiard licenses from the treasurer, and proceed as directed by by-law.

[From Councillor Stunt] The Town received the following additional information respecting the necessity of the increased rate.—The estimated license receipts fall about \$160 short of last year's estimate, the shortfalls being in licenses for drays, livery stables and dogs. The estimated expenditures are increased as follows: Increase for schools \$600; for salaries \$140; for public improvements \$250; for lighting, &c. \$260; for relief \$50; for printing \$60; there is also a new item of \$60 for legal proceedings, and \$100 for park improvement. That the expenditure is to be increased by nearly \$1,300, while the local receipts will be \$160 less—making an additional \$1,140 to be provided for. The rateshield amount has increased from \$254,462.69 in 1893 to \$274,229.59 in 1894.

While Mr. J. H. McDonald of Listowel was removing the remains of Mrs. McDonald's grandmother from the old cemetery to the new one he was surprised to find the coffin very heavy, and upon opening it found the remains nearly as perfect as when buried eighteen years ago. The grave was on the side of the hill, at the northern part of the old cemetery, and the coffin had been surrounded with spring water which had preserved the wood of the coffin perfectly, and apparently placed a deposit of limestone throughout the body, preserving the form and solidifying it. The hands and features were quite recognizable.—Starvel Exposition.

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The Moose Jaw Times.

"And what is writ, is writ;
Would it were wrothier."

FRIDAY, JULY 20, 1894.

A CRISIS.

The extreme limit of hope is reached; the long-continued suspense is passed; and the people of this town and district are brought face to face with the unyielding reality that a complete crop failure has been sustained. The drought and extreme heat of the past four weeks have blighted the fair crop prospects of early June. Had rain come even within the past week, entire failure would have been averted. When THE TIMES representative made a trip to the northern and north eastern extremes of the district on July 6th, as was described in last issue, the major portion of the crop was healthy and green, notwithstanding the stress of drought that had been sustained; but since that date the heat has been more extreme than before, and the season of drought has been protracted. The dry weather has affected not only the grain but the hay crop as well, and settlers possessing stock will have the utmost difficulty in securing fodder for the winter. Where small quantities of hay were to have been found, prairie fires have put a finishing stroke to the catastrophe.

Around Regina the same conditions prevail, and in that district the following petition is being circulated:—

To His Excellency The Governor-General in Council:

The petition of the undersigned humbly sheweth: That in consequence of the unprecedented drought, there is an entire crop failure throughout the Regina District; That this crop failure following on that of last year, and occurring at a time of such universal depression in trade, means not only ruin but absolute starvation, not only to a great number of farmers who depend entirely on their crops, but also to others who possess no stocks or other marketable effects, can find no market for their commodities; That under these circumstances it will be absolutely necessary for your Government to assist the inhabitants of the depressed districts, either (A) AT ONCE, OR (B) IN THE WINTER; That if the assistance required—and which ultimately will have to be given—is deferred, it can only resolve itself into a more or less thinly disguised system of door-to-door relief, a system which strongly commends itself to the public mind, and impudently and unmercifully punishes most humble pray that as an alternative and immeasurably preferable course that your Government will at once initiate a system of Public Works Construction, such works to consist of road-making, bridge and dam making, and well sinking. The work to be of a permanent and practical character, under Government inspection, and according to local needs, and to be done by the inhabitants of the distressed districts at just and reasonable cash wage. And your petitioners will ever pray.

The above petition states the case without extravagance, and a practicable remedy is proposed. At Moose Jaw at least one important work lays ready to the hand of the Government. The Minister of the Interior has already agreed that the expenditure of the sum asked for the construction of the Moose Jaw dam would be warranted by the benefit that would accrue to the townsite trust and the country generally. Let the work be hastened, and thus a means created by which settlers may earn sustenance for themselves and their live stock through the winter.

In the midst of our own tribulation it is gratifying to know that only a comparatively small section of the North-West has been so disastrously affected by the drought. Throughout Manitoba and in the Territories as far west as Grouse the prospects are encouraging, and in the country north of the Saskatchewan an abundant yield is anticipated. It is wonderful, too, with what fortitude our settlers are facing the disaster. A season's hard labor, and the outlay for seedling, have come to nothing, yet no useless murmurings nor grumblings are heard. It would appear that our people have pondered the text "For whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth."

THE NORTH-WEST BILL.

As the House is called for the despatch of business on Wednesday, August 2nd, it seems an opportune time to examine into the merits of the new North-West Bill as introduced by Mr. Daly on 26th ult.

We were led to believe that two very important concessions would be made—one, the giving to the Assembly the power to amend their own constitution; the other, a change in the mode of providing an Executive Committee.

The former has been given, and the life of the Assembly has also been extended to four years. As to the latter, it appears that a slight change has been made, but still, in our opinion, Mr. Daly in leaving the appointment of an Executive to the House, which must mean the House in session, committed a very serious blunder.

The House will in August appoint a committee, and some time late this fall, or in the early winter, an election will be held. Now in that election should it so happen that members of the Executive are defeated, the country will be in the unfortunate position of having an Executive composed of members who are not members of the House; and an emergency session of the Assembly will be necessary. Of course we know that with an Executive properly constituted, after an election they may be in the minority; but then it is not necessary for the House to come together; the Lieutenant-Governor calls on one whom he thinks has the confidence of a majority, and business goes on as usual. Either Mr. Daly has blundered or a certain pressure has been brought to bear in the interest of some party or parties who may be of the opinion that any alteration of that clause might not work to their advantage in their push for office.

The Federal Parliament has tinkered with North-West Acts for years with very poor success. We protest against any further delay in the giving of full provincial powers. This running to Ottawa hat in hand would sap the independent spirit of any people. We are entitled to a larger subsidy than we now receive in the way of a grant from year to year. Let the subsidy be fixed for a term not exceeding five years until such time as we have reached a population of say 500,000. We should have our lands or an adequate cash subsidy in lieu thereof. In this connection we might say that British Columbia was allowed \$100,000 per annum for a strip of land, or rather of rocks, 40 miles in width, along the surveyed route of the C.P.R. This land did not carry even timber or minerals. Prince Edward Island received \$20,000 a year on account of the fact that it possessed no lands. Surely then we are entitled to an amount equal to all we now receive on account of our lands—lands which today are being parted with in order to subsidize Manitoba railways.

That we should now have full provincial powers, placing the Assembly in position that it could deal with such matters as the seed grain assistance of last spring, and now with the alleviation of the heavy calamity which may bring destitution to quite a large portion of the great wheat growing district in these Territories, must be evident to all. When this question of responsible government was before the people during the last election for the Assembly, a great cry was raised that responsible government meant increased taxation. Should we get as much or more in the way of a subsidy than we now receive as a yearly grant, why should it mean increased taxation? It should and would be just what the people need. That the Assembly past and present has worked along the lines laid down by the people, no one will deny; what will be done in the future remains for the people to say. The electors dictate the policy; the Assembly is but an agent to do their will. We would say he who is afraid to assume the full stature of a man politically is not such a citizen as we might expect to find in this great country.

Calgary rivals the Dominion Government in generosity, and votes \$25,000 in aid of the Territorial exhibition,—but a condition is attached which will save to that ambitious city its dollars. The condition is that the fair must be located at Calgary.

ONTARIO CABINETS.

On July 1st, 1867, under royal proclamation dated May 22, 1867, the provinces of Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick were confederated under the title of the Dominion of Canada.

Previous to that time, Ontario and Quebec had been governed by a common legislature, which met alternately in the two provinces.

At confederation, each province obtained a separate legislature and government, subordinate to the Dominion parliament.

The first government of Ontario under the Confederation Act was appointed July 16, 1867, as follows: Attorney-General and Premier—John Sandfield Macdonald; Commissioner of Agriculture—John Carling; Commissioner of Crown Lands—Stephen Richards; Provincial Secretary—Matthew Crooks Cameron; Provincial Treasurer—Edmund B. Wood.

The Hon. Mr. Sandfield Macdonald, premier, was a Liberal, but the government was a coalition one, Hon. M. C. Cameron and Hon. John Carling being Conservatives. In the general election of 1871 the coalition government lost many supporters, and after the meeting of the legislature resigned.

Hon. Edward Blake was then sent for to form a Liberal administration, which he did as follows: President of Council and Premier—Edward Blake; Attorney-General—Adam Crooks; Commissioner of Agriculture—A. McCallum; Commissioner of Crown Lands—R. W. Scott; Treasurer—Alexander Mackenzie; Secretary and Registrar—Peter Gow.

In the following year Messrs. Blake and Mackenzie retired from the government to give their attention more to Dominion affairs, and Mr. Mowat came in. He had been for some years out of active politics, but was familiar with political administration. He had been provincial secretary in the Brown-Dorion administration which governed Upper and Lower Canada in 1858, and was a member of subsequent cabinets.

In 1864, however, he retired to become vice-chancellor of Upper Canada (a judicial position), and only returned to legislative work when called on in 1872, to form a new administration in succession to Blake. The following was the government, as reorganized under Mr. Mowat on October 25, 1872: Attorney-General and Premier—Oliver Mowat; Commissioner of Agriculture—A. McCallum; Commissioner for Crown Lands—R. W. Scott; Treasurer—Adam Crooks; Secretary and Registrar—T. B. Pardee.

INDEPENDENCE.

"There are none so blind as those who will not see." The rigid puritan stubbornly closes his organs of mental vision to the powerful wave of progressive political sentiment that is sweeping over Canada,—a movement that is pitting reason against prejudice,—a movement, the leaders of which have on their banners inscribed the mottoes "For Everyone; Equality in Civil Rights," "Country before Party."

The Chronicle is among the few remaining wilfully benighted subscribers to a partisan and prejudiced creed, who cannot comprehend the term "independence." It holds that an announcement of independence can mean nothing but a concealment of party predilections, a wish to sail under false colors; that a drop from the perch intended when the "independent" game has been played. This is a compliment the delicate turning of which will be appreciated by the many avowed independent electors of Moose Jaw District—the members of the Patron of Industry lodges in this constituency.

M. Stambouloff, the dethroned premier of Bulgaria, is one of the most remarkable men of his day. Eighteen years ago he was a printer's apprentice, but since then he has become the master of Bulgarian politics and one of the most resolute and resourceful statesmen that Europe has ever seen. He is a man of indomitable will. In appearance he is short and bullet headed, like a Tartar, with bright, black eyes and a face as hard as flint.

The combined assets of the Rothschild family in Europe are not less, it is said, than \$2,000,000,000. The virtual head of the family is Nathaniel, Lord Rothschild, of London.

It is very amusing to note in the cartoons of the daily papers what a sudden and striking change in the picture of the Patron of Industry there has been. Heretofore he has been pictured as an old moss-back with top boots, pants inside, a seedy smock, a long narrow face with a nose like a plow coulter, a fringe of shaggy whiskers under his lower jaw, long unkempt hair and a shattered quaker hat. A more pinched, gaunt and drawn effigy of a man could not be imagined. But since the election the Patron has become a power in politics, and his picture has undergone great improvement. He now wears a better hat, his cheeks are filled out, his goatee is full and sleek, giving his face a sort of Dr. Wild look; his body has become plump and almost corpulent, his clothes respectable, and his general appearance one of gentility. Added to all this he is now represented as being about a head and a half taller than either Mowat or Meredith.—Whitby Chronicle.

An Old Timers' Association has been formed in Edmonton. The qualification for membership, negatively at least, is clear and distinct. No person who came into the settlement by railway is eligible, even those who came as far as Calgary by train and did the rest of the journey by trail are excluded. The principle of aristocracy seems to be imbedded in human nature. Even in the woolly west it is difficult to exterminate it.—Globe.

Though Phil D. Armour has a desk full of railroad passes he never uses one of them, but always pays his fare like ordinary mortals. He is disposing of his property to his sons as fast as they show their qualifications to use it right, believing it to be the wiser to see his wealth in proper hands while he is still alive. He has no faith in wills.

Buffalo Lake.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The crops are looking rather wizened owing to the dry weather. Rain is greatly needed.

One of our boys, who is at present residing in the Carmel District, favors us with an occasional visit, but of course it is on business, for Black Bear is hard to herd; isn't she, Bob?

Berry picking, which has been the order of the day for some time, is now well done.

Robt. Franks started digging a large pond. Robt. intends to stay with the farm.

R. G. Smith left for a Court's ranch last Saturday.

Arthur thinks it queer that the girls go back on a top buggy when the next best is a pony and saddle.

James Walwork, who has been herding horses on the Welsh farm, left for Broadview on the 13th.

William Poulter intends leaving for the far north in the course of a few days. Sorry to see you go, Bill.

Mr. Harold Johnston, of Epearquak ranch, paid us a flying visit on Monday.

SCRIEVE.

Proposed Changes in N. W. M. P.

An Ottawa despatch says:—It is understood here that important changes have been decided upon respecting the North-West Mounted police. The numerical strength of the force will probably be reduced a little. This is more than compensated for by the establishment of three batteries, to be stationed at central points, and the improvement in the armament of the force by substituting the Lee Metford magazine for the Winchester. Two batteries will consist of one seven pound field gun each. The third will be a maxin gun. New arms will be purchased in England this summer. The force is at present composed of 934 men in six divisions, stationed at 59 points. Commissioner Herchmer last year reported that the Winchester carbines were in poor condition and in sight of great judgment was required to shoot well.

Progress of the Baptist Church.

At the annual conference of the Baptists of Manitoba and the North-West, the session of which closed at Winnipeg on Friday last, a statistical report for the year ending March 30, 1894, was presented. It was stated that the returns were incomplete, but, as they had been received, they were as follows: Number of organized churches, 44; number in 1892, 32; membership, 2,316; in 1892, 1,414; net increase, 417; baptisms, 255; pastors' salaries \$15,935; raised by the church, \$10,246.99; grants by the board, \$5,078; raised for missions, \$1,479; total raised for all purposes, \$29,075.63.

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Wunst I sass'd my pa, an' he won't stand still, and punished me. Nev when he was gon' that day I slipped out and runned away. I took all my copper cents. An' climbed over our back fence In the jumbie woods at growth. Ever'whare all down the road, Nev I got out there, an' nev I runned some—and runned again When I met a man. An' I just looker everywhere, An' they wuz nobody there. I want to, but I'm afraid to try To go back ***. And by somethin' hurts my throat inside—An' I want my ma—an' cried. Nev a great big girl cam through Where's my gate, and tell me who Am I, an' if I tell where My home's at she'll show me there But I couldn't, but tell What's my name, and she says "Well" An' ist looked me up an' says, "She know where I live, she guess." Nev she told me hug' wife close Round her neck—an' or she goes Skippin' up the street. An' nev Party soon I'm home agen, An' my ma, when she kissed me, Kissed me—ef I promise shore I won't run away no more!

James Whitcomb Riley.

Tower Budget: Cheer up and study economy. Good times will be here before you change your summer clothes.

Morris Tribune: Great head, Mr. Budget. Of course, we can't change our clothe until times get better.

The Commercial says regarding the butter market in Winnipeg:—It is difficult to say anything about the market, as there is nothing doing, no one is buying, and the idea of values is irregular and unsettled. The local retail trade is entirely supplied by farmers, and the flood has interrupted the trade with the coast. A good deal of butter has been shipped in here and is held on commission, but dealers are not buying. About 12¢ is the nominal idea of values in round lots.

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The Chronicle and Prairie Fires.

To the Editor of THE TIMES.

DEAR SIR.—Prairie fires are again receiving considerable attention and no doubt have been one of the serious difficulties the settlers of the Moose Jaw district have had to contend with. Barring climatic influence which old residents are prepared to contend is brought about by the annual recurrence of this scourge the amount of buildings and other property destroyed has been a serious problem. The Chronicle takes this matter in hand and states "that every effort that can be made by us shall be put forth to have this scourge ended or at least minimized to as great an extent as possible." This resolve has the proper ring and had the spinal column of its author been of sufficient strength to continue in this strain and direct his efforts to the quarter where the largest share of the blame properly belongs good results might possibly follow. There are few old residents in the Moose Jaw district who are not aware that the Dominion Government and Legislative Assembly have been petitioned by the people, the Agricultural Society or Board of Trade nearly every year since 1884 or 1885. There is on the Dominion Statutes a law compelling R.R. Companies to provide their engines with a certain class of netting, the obvious reason to prevent prairie fires. This has not been a preventative and simply because this law exists, the Assembly is powerless to pass an ordinance applicable to the case, the same being ultra vires of the Statute. If the voice of the people by petition counts for nothing, then the assertion of The Chronicle that nothing has been done "must be correct; on the other hand "there is honor among thieves." And while The Chronicle would no doubt as indicated defend the present government if a prairie fire had surrounded their printing press, there are private citizens and members of the Legislative Assembly who have done their best in this matter and while not expecting thanks from The Chronicle are not deserving of its rebuke.

After all our efforts there is a change left, a channel through which this reform may come. Let the Patrons of Industry just add to their platform "Prevention of Prairie Fire and Development of Water Powers in the N.W.T." This will bring independent action to bear and Chivalrous and party legislators that might do better if they would, will be relegated to their proper spheres.

Yours, &c.,
A SETTLER SINCE '83.

Is Society Vulgar?

A writer in the current Popular Science Monthly asks, "Is Society Vulgar?" and goes on to prove that it is so. The word "vulgar," he says, "means appertaining to or characteristic of the multitude." In this sense, keeping one's eye on others, and doing whatever they do, whether so doing suits one's character, judgment or ability, is the very essence of vulgarity. He finds the whole law and gospel of vulgarity in that foolish phrase, "As well out of the world as out of fashion"—a maxim "which compels people to set aside their private judgment, and act blindly in troops at the bidding of some unseen and possibly very despotic master of ceremonies."

This writer goes on to arraign "society" falsely so called, as an institution where people live only for the lower things, for eating, drinking, ostentation and what they call amusement.

He finds here a region of tinsel, of rival vanities, of slavish imitation, of the repression of noble sentiments, where humanity grows narrow and independent thought and action are impossible. Lady Jeune, a social leader in London, has exposed through the reviews and magazines the hollowness, heartlessness and corruption of the ultra fashionable life of the great metropolis. Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, who has seen much of this life, both at home and abroad, in her essay, "Is Polite Society Polite?" decides very emphatically in the negative. An eminent clergyman, whose congregation is the most fashionable in New York city, also declares "society" vulgar—meaning, of course, that extreme fashionable circle the passport to which is money or an elastic credit.

These critics to whom all circles are open, cannot be called envious or disgruntled aspirants for social position. They know the inner life of this ostentatious circle. They have observed its low ideals, its cowardly subjection to self-appointed dictators; they have seen that the heartless, soulless divinity of changing moods and caprices demands a sacrifice of time, means, health and

independence which no rational being can afford.

And yet as a social being, man has an imperative need of society. "To me society was always the half of life," says Mme. Varnhagen von Elise, the presiding spirit of a saloon in Berlin, where gathered the most select representatives of European art, letters and social life. "But by society I mean," added she, "that gracious union of things best and highest, from which comes all true culture and progress."

We are all at liberty to choose that society for which natural tastes and inclinations fit us; but woe to us, if in so doing we descend to the level of those beneath us. If the requirements and standards of the circles we seek to enter are beyond us, we can strive to reach them: Good society is the best of all schools for the cultivation of the heart, the mind and the social amenities. But that cannot be called good society in which the outward trappings pass for more than the individual merit; that which cannot bear the test of adversity, but turns its back upon the worthiest if they chance to be overtaken by misfortune. This base trait is both in individuals and society the surest proof of innate vulgarity. Social culture to be genuine must bear fruit in kindness of heart and thoughtfulness for others.

The Dog Laughed.

The proprietor of a Third Avenue store owns a little black kitten that cultivates a habit of squatting on its haunches, like a bear or a kangaroo, and then spraying with its forepaws as if it had taken lessons from a puglist.

A gentleman took into the store the other day an enormous black dog, half Newfoundland, half collie, fat, good-natured and intelligent. The tiny black kitten, instead of bolting at once for shelter, retreated a few paces, sat erect on its hind legs, and "put its fists" in an attitude of defiance. The contrast in size between the two was intensely amusing. It reminded one of Jack the Giant Killer preparing to demolish a giant.

Slowly and without a sign of excitability the huge dog walked as far as his chain would allow him, and gazed intently at the kitten and its odd posture. Then as the comicality of the situation struck him, he turned his head and shoulders around to the spectators, and if an animal ever laughed in the world that dog assuredly did so, then and there. He neither barked nor growled, but indulged in a low chuckle, while eyes and mouth beamed with merriment.—New York Telegram.

North-West Enterprise.

The Moosomin iron and brass foundry was opened on Saturday last, the first castings being some cog wheels and other parts for a brick machine and the government well boring machine. The castings were made under Mr. Walker's direction and turned out highly satisfactory. The novel operation (for the North-West) was witnessed by a crowd of fifty or sixty people. Another cupola or melting furnace, much larger than the first, has been placed in position this week and the foundry will now be ready for all kinds of work, both light and heavy. The stone building with iron roof erected for the foundry by Messrs. McCurdy & Walker affords ample room for the various machines. That the enterprise of Messrs. McCurdy & Walker is already widely appreciated is shown by the fact that on Tuesday an inquiry was received from the west with regard to a four hundred dollar job.—The Spectator.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

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After interviews with several of the late proprietor's paid-in-advance subscribers, I have concluded (for sake of my own interest) to modify my first announcement "that the business would start with a clean slate." Mr. Lang has allowed me to copy from his books the names of all paid-up subscribers, and on my books I have credited all such for the time they were entitled to receive *THE TIMES* from the former management.

I am at present issuing six hundred copies weekly. In compiling the list, it is more than probable that in some cases, names of two residents under one roof have been included. In such cases the simple remedy is to leave the superluous paper in the post office. The same remedy is open to all who do not wish to be counted among the subscribers to *THE TIMES*.

WALTER SCOTT.

The Moose Jaw Times.

FRIDAY, JULY 20, 1894.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Inspector Calder went west on Sunday.

Miss Strathers of Regina is visiting in town.

Mrs. Jas. Culver is visiting friends at Qu'Appelle.

Dr. Sizer of Regina paid his regular visit to Moose Jaw on Monday.

Mr. Bromley, C. P. R. travelling auditor, spent a day in town this week.

Mr. Emerson, of Moose Jaw, was a visitor in Regina during the race meeting.

Mr. A. Wilson, representing Stobart, Sons & Co., Winnipeg, was in town two days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bunnell, of Moose Jaw, registered at the Palmer, Regina, last week.

T. K. Grigg, formerly of the Grigg House in London, is now manager of the Windsor at Regina.

Mrs. T. W. Robinson and family have gone to the ranch at Maple Creek for a month's outing.

New locks have been placed on the O. P. R. ice house, and the nightly shrinkage has lessened in consequence.

J. Macdonald Ogley, a Canadian author of note, passed through Moose Jaw on Wednesday morning en route to the coast.

Mr. Frank Meller this week wears the button of the Moose Jaw Gun Club. He won on Friday evening last with a score of 7 out of 19.

Mrs. Smith, sister of ex-Mayor Smith of Regina, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Boe, having arrived from the capital on Monday morning.

Mrs. Rothwell, daughter of Inspector Rothwell, was a passenger on Monday morning's express, going to Qu'Appelle to resume her teaching duties.

Read R. E. Doran's announcement this week. He is opening out on Monday next a complete stock of boots and shoes which will be sold cheap for cash.—Adv.

Mr. Theo. Rutherford, after spending a week with his brother, J. M. Rutherford, of the dispatchers' office, left on Monday night to "take in" the Industrial Exhibition at Winnipeg.

Conductors Card and Burton, of Moose Jaw, and Crawford, of Medicine Hat, returned from Regina on Monday morning, the latter bearing a hon's share of the handsome prizes put up by the Regals Tennis Club for bicycles.

Moosomin had a successful race meeting on Tuesday.

Hon. Wilfred Laurier will visit the North-West in August.

Erastus Wiman has been released from The Tombs on bail.

Lieut. Governor Mackintosh opened the Calgary fair on Tuesday.

"I am on the trail again" said the old scout when he trod on the woman's dress.

"Papa" Elderkin is now rusticking amid the wilds of the Maritime Provinces.

Mr. Geo. Jackson, of Regina, was a visitor in Moose Jaw several days this week.

Mr. Cruckshank has returned to Rush Lake after a two-months' visit in Moose Jaw.

Miss Stevenson resumed her teaching duties at the Buffalo Lake school on Monday.

Evangelist Fowler, who held a series of services in town last winter, has gone east on a six-weeks' holiday.

Would it not pay *The Chronicle* to have the heading "Concerning Our selves" cast *en bloc*?

Miss Hallie McKay, Pearl McNeil and Mary Ross started on Sunday morning for East Kootenay. Monday night was spent at Broadview.

The C. P. R. "summer" time card will be preserved until next season. Meanwhile the wintry one prevails.

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The round trip.

Host Holt, of the Ottawa House, was a prominent visitor in the Territorial capital while the Regina race meeting was in progress.

Wrigley of Lethbridge and Crawford of Medicine Hat, after scooping the best prizes at the Regina bicycle races, went to Calgary and repeated the performance.

Mr. Marlatt returned on Monday from St. Thomas, Ont., accompanied by Mrs. Marlatt. They will take up residence in town, Mr. Marlatt with his son having opened up in the butchering line.

A Scotch minister made the following announcement from the pulpit:

"Weel, friends, the Kirk is urgently in need of siller, and as we have failed to get money honestly we will have to see what a bazar can do for us."

Premier Thompson has agreed to institute an investigation into the alleged excessive freight rates of the Canadian Pacific Railway company. It is not decided whether it will take the form of a royal commission or of a departmental inquiry.

A live stock association was organized in Moose Jaw on Saturday last. Thos. W. Aspin was elected president and Benj. Fletcher Sec'y Treasurer. All stock owners are requested to become members and register their brands with the secretary.

Mr. Thos Blackwood, of Winnipeg, was in town on Monday. He is on his return from a prolonged visit west. He was a member of the staff of the *Clarendon Hustler*, the "blood" production of the fertile brains of a party which had become water-logged in the mountains in May.

Mr. John O'Dell, formerly a conductor on the Medicine Hat division of the C. P. R., but who has lately been engaged in ranching thirty miles south of Medicine Hat, died very suddenly on Monday morning. The deceased was the step father of Ed. Jerow, our popular west end baggageman.

While men struggle desperately in the streets and byways of Chicago, Pullman is enjoying the delights of the sea breezes at his seaside palace, refusing even to listen to the stories of distress that come from Chicago, and mocking all appeals for assistance in settling the dispute. Pullman could have given Nero pointers on the fiddling business.—*St. Paul Globe*.

Major and Mrs. Read, of the Salvation Army, Winnipeg, arrived in Moose Jaw this morning and will hold special meetings to day, Saturday and Sunday. To-day (Friday) at 8 p.m. there is to be a hallelujah wedding—admission 25c. On Saturday a special War Cry demonstration takes place; at 7 a.m. on Sunday, knee drill; at 11 a.m. in great Holiness meeting. On Sunday afternoon Mrs. Read will deliver an address on Rescue Work. The business of the visit will be wound up on Sunday night.

There died here on Monday, says the *Battleford Herald*, an old half-breed woman who formed a link between the past and the present times—Mary Anne Patteau, nee Inkster, aged 103 years.

She was born at Moose Factory and there married an employee of the Hudson's Bay Company who returned to England and died.

She married again and drifting westward came here about ten years ago. She lived with her daughter the Widow Kanata. She smoked for ninety years—perhaps that hastened her death.

T. P. Gorman, editor of the Ottawa Free Press, is dead.

Annual church parade of the local Lodge A.O.U.W. on Sunday evening, next, to the Presbyterian church.

A number of Sioux Indians, former residents about and in Moose Jaw, have this week returned from Wood Mountain.

A young Scotchman named Daigleau was instantly killed at Whitewood on Tuesday by a loaded wagon passing over his head.

Mr. A. M. Fenwick, of Battleford, to whom the principality of the Moose Jaw school was offered, has wired to the secretary of the Board his acceptance at a salary of \$1,000.

Mrs. Hugh McIntyre, wife of the popular accountant of The Times, Victoria, (a brother of Rev. J. P. McIntyre of Moose Jaw) passed through on Thursday's express on a visit to friends in the east.

Harry Macdonald arrived from Wood Mountain yesterday. He reports that the entire country surrounding Wood Mountain and Willow Branch has been swept by prairie fires, and that scarcely a vestige of lay remains.

An interesting series of lawn tennis games is to be played, beginning to-night and continuing throughout the coming week.

Several of the best players in town will play, each against all the others, the winner to receive a medal.

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